R will indicate that a license is required. The AGR notification will then be processed as a license application. In addition, BIS may provide notice of an objection by telephone, fax, courier service, or other means.

- (d) Donations. (1) Donations of agricultural commodities are eligible for export and reexport to Cuba under License Exception AGR, provided the transaction meets the requirements and procedures of this license exception (except the written contract requirement).
- (2) Donations of food items to nongovernmental organizations (NGOs) and individuals in Cuba may also be eligible for License Exception GFT. See §740.12 for eligibility requirements of gift parcels and humanitarian donations under License Exception GFT.

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§ 740.19 Consumer Communications Devices (CCD).

- (a) Authorizations. This section authorizes the export or reexport of commodities and software to Cuba or Sudan subject to the requirements stated herein. This section does not authorize U.S.-owned or -controlled entities in third countries to engage in reexports of foreign produced commodities to Cuba for which no license would be issued by the Department of the Treasury pursuant to 31 CFR 515.559.
- (b) Eligible commodities and software. Commodities and software in paragraphs (b)(1) through (17) of this section are eligible for export or reexport under this section to Cuba or Sudan. Commodities in paragraph (b)(18) of this section are eligible for export or reexport under this section to Sudan only.
- (1) Consumer computers designated EAR99 or classified under Export Control Classification Numbers (ECCN) 5A992.c or 4A994.b;
- (2) Consumer disk drives and solid state storage equipment classified under ECCN 5A992 or designated EAR99;
- (3) Input/output control units (other than industrial controllers designed for

- chemical processing) designated EAR99:
- (4) Graphics accelerators and graphics coprocessors designated EAR99;
- (5) Monitors classified under ECCN 5A992.c or designated EAR99;
- (6) Printers classified under ECCN 5A992.c or designated EAR99;
- (7) Modems classified under ECCNs 5A991.b.2, 5A991.b.4., or 5A992.c or designated EAR99:
- (8) Network access controllers and communications channel controllers classified under ECCN 5A991.b.4 or designated EAR99;
- (9) Keyboards, mice and similar devices designated EAR99;
- (10) Mobile phones, including cellular and satellite telephones, personal digital assistants, and subscriber information module (SIM) cards and similar devices classified under ECCNs 5A992.c or 5A991 or designated EAR99;
- (11) Memory devices classified under ECCN 5A992.c or designated EAR99;
- (12) Consumer "information security" equipment, "software" (except "encryption source code") and peripherals classified under ECCNs 5A992.c or 5D992.c or designated EAR99;
- (13) Digital cameras and memory cards classified under ECCN 5A992 or designated EAR99;
- (14) Television and radio receivers classified under ECCN 5A992 or designated EAR99;
- (15) Recording devices classified under ECCN 5A992 or designated EAR99;
- (16) Batteries, chargers, carrying cases and accessories for the equipment described in this paragraph that are designated EAR99;
- (17) Consumer "software" (except "encryption source code") classified under ECCNs 4D994, 5D991 or 5D992.c or designated EAR99 to be used for equipment described in paragraphs (b)(1) through (b)(16) of this section; and
- (18) (Sudan only) Global Positioning System receivers or similar satellite receivers controlled under ECCN 7A994.

NOTE TO PARAGRAPH (b): In this paragraph, the term "consumer" refers to items that are:

- 1. Generally available to the public by being sold, without restriction, from stock at retail selling points by means of any of the following:
- a. Over-the-counter transactions;

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- b Mail order transactions:
- c. Electronic transactions; or
- d. Telephone call transactions; and
- 2. Designed for installation by the user without further substantial support by the supplier.
- (c) Eligible and ineligible end-users—(1) Organizations. (i) This license exception may be used to export or reexport eligible commodities and software to and for the use of independent non-governmental organizations in Cuba or Sudan
- (ii) The Cuban Government or the Cuban Communist Party and organizations they administer or control are not eligible end-users.
- (iii) The Government of Sudan is not an eligible end-user for any item exported or reexported pursuant to this license exception except for consumer software that is authorized under paragraph (b)(12) or (b)(17) of this section and that is distributed free of charge.
- (2) Individuals. This License Exception may be used to export eligible commodities and software to and for the use of individuals other than the following:
- (i) Ineligible Cuban Government Officials. Ministers and vice-ministers; members of the Council of State; members of the Council of Ministers: members and employees of the National Assembly of People's Power; members of any provincial assembly; local sector chiefs of the Committees for the Defense of the Revolution; Director Generals and sub-Director Generals and higher of all Cuban ministries and state agencies; employees of the Ministry of the Interior (MININT); employees of the Ministry of Defense (MINFAR); secretaries and first secretaries of the Confederation of Labor of Cuba (CTC) and its component unions; chief editors, editors and deputy editors of Cuban state-run media organizations and programs, including newspapers, television, and radio; or members and employees of the Supreme Court (Tribuno Supremo Nacional).
- (ii) Ineligible Cuban Communist Party Officials. Members of the Politburo; the Central Committee; Department Heads of the Central Committee; employees of the Central Committee; and the sec-

retaries and first secretaries of provincial Party central committees.

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§ 740.20 License Exception Strategic Trade Authorization (STA).

- (a) Introduction. This section authorizes exports, reexports, and transfers (in-country), including releases within a single country of software source code and technology to foreign nationals, in lieu of a license that would otherwise be required pursuant to part 742 of the EAR.
- (b) Requirements and Limitations—(1) Requirements for Using License Exception STA. (i) All of the reasons for control that impose a part 742 license requirement on the export, reexport or in country transfer must be addressed in at least one authorizing paragraph of this section.
- (ii) The party using License Exception STA must comply with all of the requirements in paragraph (d) of this section.
- (2) Limitations on Use of License Exception STA. The prohibitions and limits of this paragraph (b)(2) apply notwithstanding the authorizations in paragraph (c) of this section.
- (i) License Exception STA may not be used in lieu of any license requirement imposed by "Part 744—Control Policy: End User and End Use Based" or by "Part 746—Embargoes and Other Special Controls" of the EAR.
- (ii) License Exception STA may not be used for any item controlled under ECCNs 0A981, 0A982, 0A983, 0A985 or 0E982
- (iii) License Exception STA may not be used for any item that is controlled for reason of encryption items (EI), short supply (SS), surreptitious listening (SL), missile technology (MT) or chemical weapons (CW).
- (iv) License Exception STA may not be used for any item identified on the CCL as being subject to the exclusive export control jurisdiction of another agency, such as the Department of State, the Department of Energy, or the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.
- (v) License Exception STA may not be used for any item controlled by ECCN 1C351.a, .b, .c, d.11, .d.12 or .e,